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MORE THAN WORDS

1. Asal kita tidak menyerah, keajaiban akan terjadi
2. Bagi banyak orang aku seperti tanda ajaib, karena Engkau lah tempat perlindunganku yang kuat
3. Berkat Tuhan yang menjadikan kaya, susah payah takkan menambahinya.
4. Character is like a tree and reputation its shadow. The shadow is what we think of it, the tree is the real thing
5. I can do all things through Christ who strengthen me
6. Kesusahan hari ini cukuplah untuk hari ini
7. Lakon menang kerri
8. Love never fail
9. One man can make a difference.
10. Semakin sesuatu itu mustahil secara manusia, semakin kamu akan melihat pertolongan dan kemuliaan Tuhan dalam hidupmu.
11. Someone who is not worthy to be love is the one who needest love
12. Trust not needs to understand.
13. Tuntunlah aku ke gunung batu yang terlalu tinggi bagiku
14. Waktu-Ku belum tiba, tapi bagi kamu selalu ada waktu
15. Whatever happens to me, I am more than conqueror because it is my fate.
16. Winners are not those who never fail but those who never quit

In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light, my strength, my song
This Cornerstone, this solid ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love, what depths of peace
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease
My Comforter, my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone, who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save
'til on that cross as Jesus died
The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him laid
Here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt of life, no fear of death
This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell, no scheme of man
Can ever pluck me from His hand
'til He returns or calls me home
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand



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My Mom and Dad,

and

All of my friends

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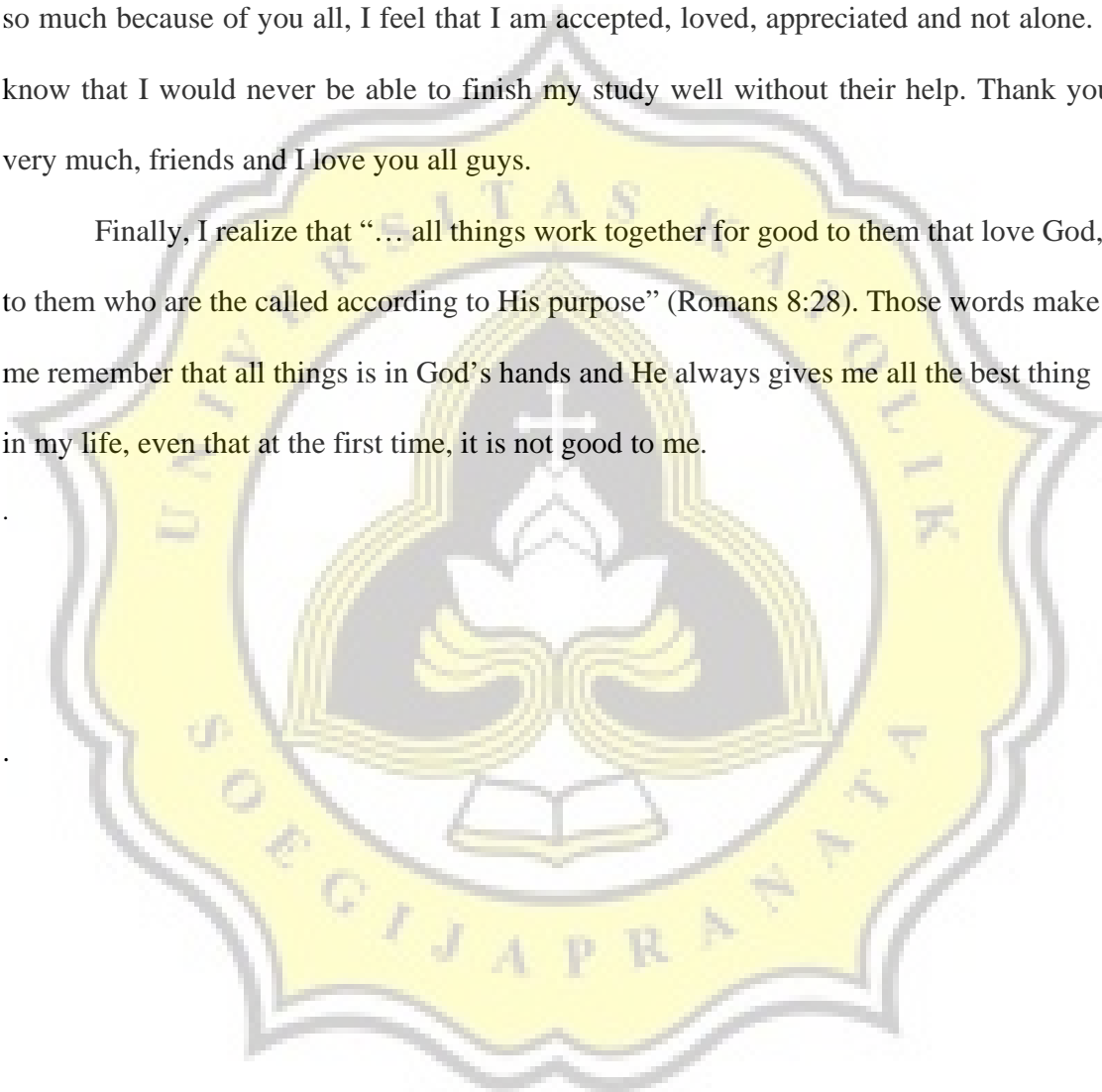
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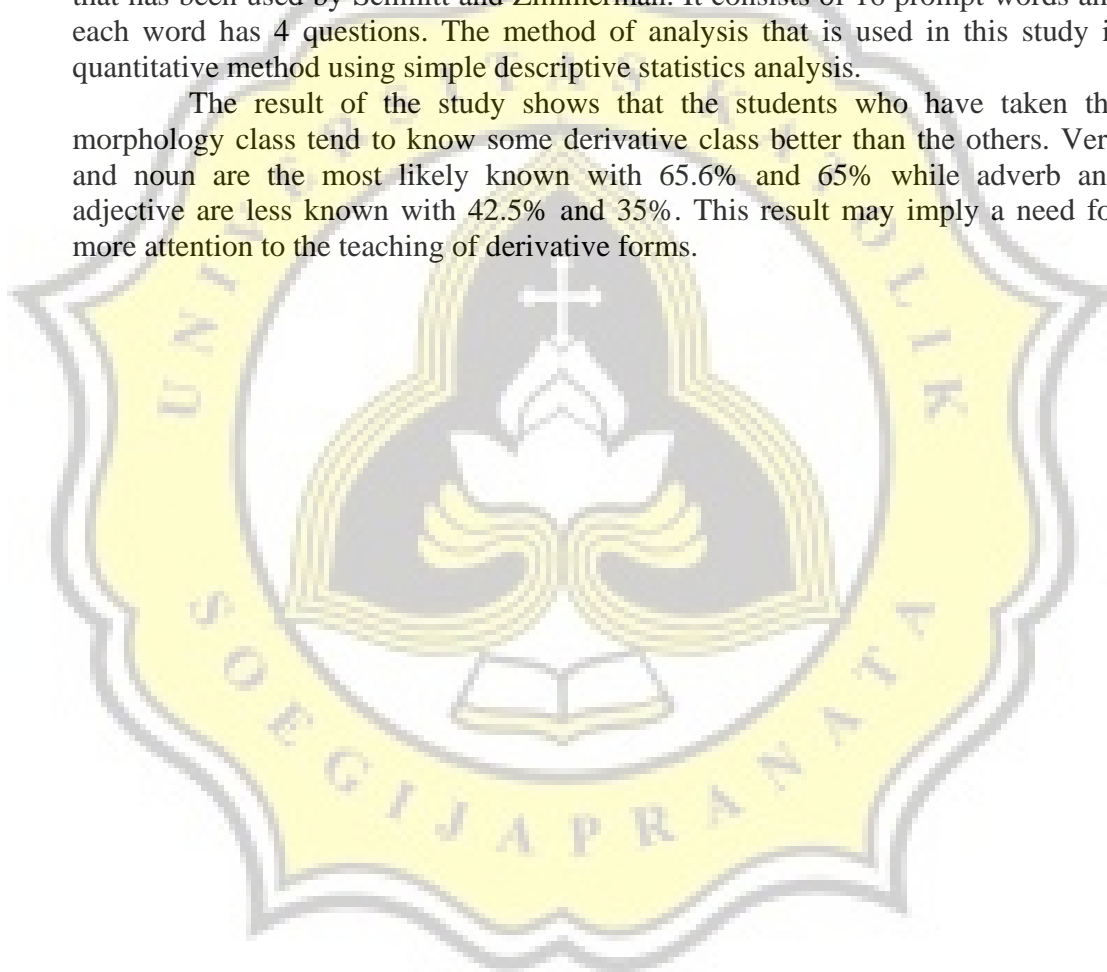
ABSTRACT

Derivative form is important because it can be categorized as part of vocabulary. Besides, derivative form is needed to arrange the words in a sentence. It has to be done correctly so that there is no misunderstanding in communicating with each other. That is why people have to acquire it.

Due to the importance of derivative form, the writer decided to conduct a research to find out the ability of the students in understanding derivative word forms. The result of the study will show how far the students know about derivative word forms and its application in a sentence.

The data were taken from 2002 and 2003 students of faculty of Letters who have taken morphology class in Soegijapranata Catholic University. They were 24 respondents. To collect the data from the respondents, the writer used the test that has been used by Schmitt and Zimmerman. It consists of 16 prompt words and each word has 4 questions. The method of analysis that is used in this study is quantitative method using simple descriptive statistics analysis.

The result of the study shows that the students who have taken the morphology class tend to know some derivative class better than the others. Verb and noun are the most likely known with 65.6% and 65% while adverb and adjective are less known with 42.5% and 35%. This result may imply a need for more attention to the teaching of derivative forms.



ABSTRAK

Derivative forms memiliki peranan yang sangat penting karena berkaitan dengan kosa kata. Selain itu, *derivative forms* juga penting dalam mengatur penggunaan kosa kata di dalam kalimat. Hal itu harus dilakukan dengan benar sehingga tidak terjadi

kesalahpahaman dalam berkomunikasi dengan orang lain. Dengan pertimbangan tersebut, orang diharapkan menguasainya.

Begitu pentingnya hal itu sehingga penulis memutuskan untuk meneliti kemampuan mahasiswa dalam memahami *derivative word forms*. Hasil penelitian ini menggambarkan sejauh mana mereka mengetahui *derivative word forms* dan mengaplikasikannya dalam sebuah kalimat.

Data ini diperoleh dari para mahasiswa sastra Inggris Universitas Katolik Soegijapranata angkatan 2002 dan 2003 yang telah mengambil mata kuliah morfologi dengan responden yang berjumlah 24 orang. Untuk mengumpulkan data tersebut, penulis menggunakan tes yang telah digunakan oleh Schmitt dan Zimmerman. Tes itu terdiri dari 16 kata dan setiap kata ada 4 buah pertanyaan. Metode analisa yang digunakan adalah metode kualitatif dengan analisis statistik deskriptif sederhana.

Hasil dari penelitian ini menunjukkan kemampuan dari para mahasiswa yang telah mengikuti mata kuliah morfologi mengenai *derivative forms* yang cenderung mengetahui beberapa *derivative class* lebih daripada *derivative class* yang lain. Yang paling banyak mereka ketahui ialah kata kerja dan kata benda dengan persentase 65,6% dan 65% sementara kata keterangan dan kata sifat kurang mereka ketahui. Persentasenya adalah 42,5% dan 35%. Hasil ini dapat mengindikasikan adanya kebutuhan untuk lebih memperhatikan pengajaran tentang *derivative forms*.

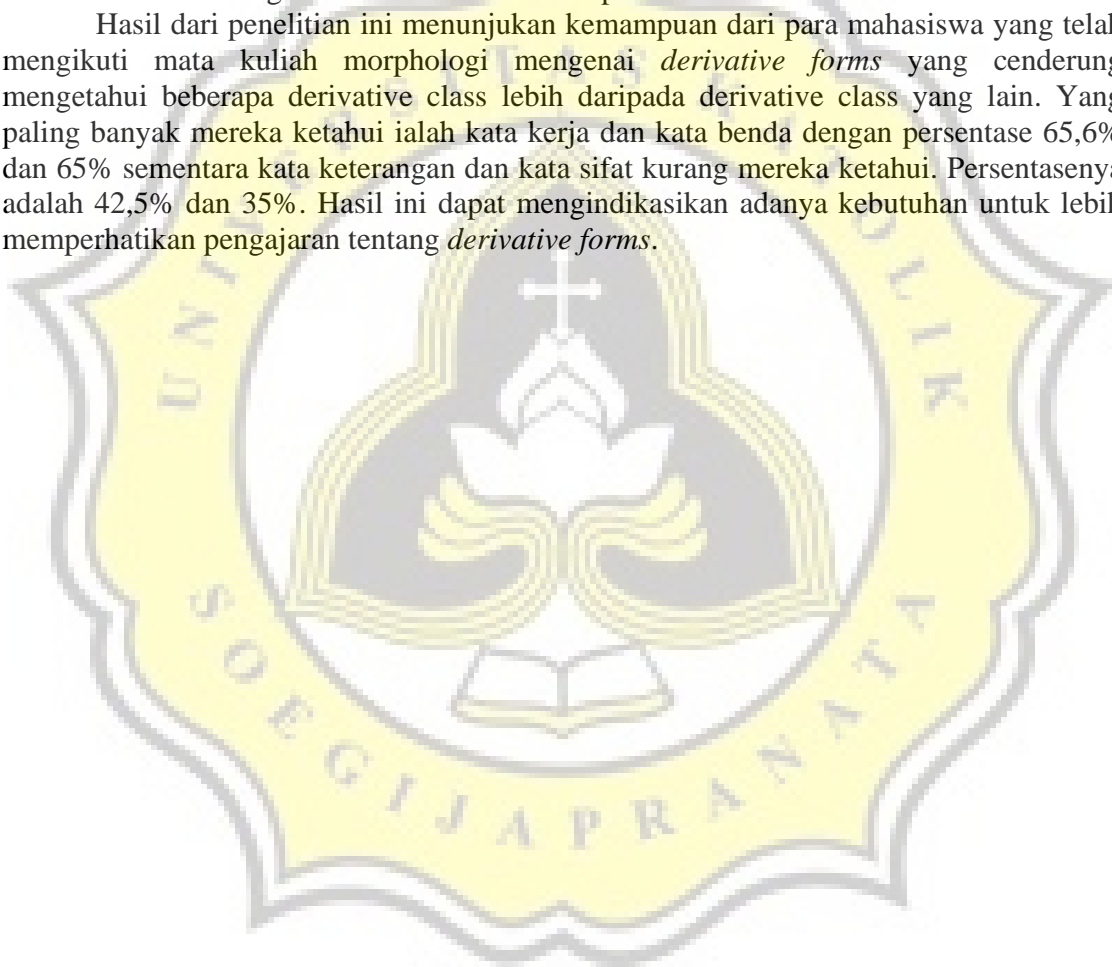


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